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NEW YORK WILL EXCEED QUOTA

Period of Drive Extended to Last Night—Grand Total for Metropolitan District is $264,783 to Date.

TEN TEAMS WORKING

The incomplete returns of the New York City campaign show that that city will go over its quota. Up to the present time the ten teams and the executive committee have turned in a report of 317 subscriptions with a total of $84,283. Because a large number of the alumni had not been canvassed in the two days of the drive, it was decided to continue it until last night, at which time the committee expects to turn in pledges amounting to well over $100,000.

The New York committee consisted of fifty men divided up into ten teams of five men each. These men were under the direction of William M. Bristol, '82. The committee met every day at luncheon at the Railrod Club. The entire city was divided up into districts and each of these territories was covered by a team. Before any active campaigning took place, letters were sent to all the alumni telling of the plans and of the need of the college. This made the actual work easy, and many of the alumni sent their pledge cards to headquarters before they had been called upon by any of the collectors.

The men who captained the ten teams were as follows: Judge N. J. Marsh, '84; Bayard L. Peck, '91; John P. Martin, '92; D. W. Redmond, '01; Paul B. Williams, '08; Benn Barber, '10; Harry C. Bates, '12; Warren C. DuBois, '12; Carl B. Wenigman, '12; L. H. Bristol, '14.

Working with these teams was the executive committee headed by Dr. Soper, '67, which to date, has turned in a total of $180,500. This is not part of the New York quota of $100,000. This amount brings the sum subscribed by the New York district to date to a grand total of $264,783.

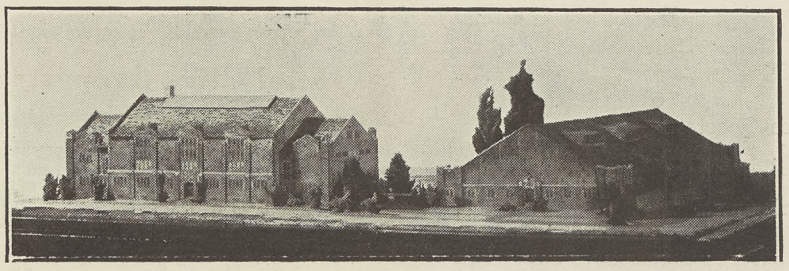
1924 PLANS FROLIC

With the advent of spring and the disappearance of the green "slimer" hats, the members of the Class of '24 decided to celebrate the memorable event with a Frolic. For some years past the first-year classes have discussed the possibilities of such an affair, but nothing materialized.

At a meeting of the class held after chapel on Friday morning, April 8, it was voted that a committee be appointed to arrange the details of a Tea Dance to be run on the Saturday afternoon of Spring House-Party, April 30. It will probably be held in one of the fraternity houses.

The committee consists of: J. Lester Albertson, chairman; Rexford C. S. Holmes, Charles Haring Phelps, Jr., and Richard C. Wood.

There will be a meeting of the History Club at Dr. Bonham's home on Wednesday evening, April 13, at 8 o'clock.



The plans have been submitted for a new gymnasium and for an athletic building. Above is shown the proposed gymnasium, left, and the athletic building, right, which will be constructed over the hockey rink.

PI DELTA EPSILON CHARTER SECURED

New Chapter Will be Installed at Hamilton in Near Future—Ten or Twelve Men to Compose the Chapter.

SHERMAN, '22, DELEGATE

Hamilton College has been successful in obtaining a charter of Pi Delta Epsilon, one of the most prominent journalistic fraternities of the country. Leroy B. Sherman, Jr., the Hamilton delegate who presented the petition, attended the annual convention of the fraternity held at Ann Arbor, Mich., during the late Easter recess. Out of seven colleges petitioning, Hamilton alone was granted a charter, and the Hamilton delegate was initiated into the fraternity. The chapter, to be known as Alpha Sigma, will be installed on the Hill in the near future by members of the Syracuse and Colgate chapters.

Qualifications for membership in the various chapters of Pi Delta Epsilon are determined by the chapters themselves. At Hamilton, the membership will include the editors and business managers of the three college publications, together with several other men who have done noteworthy work on the publications. Ten or twelve men will be initiated into the new chapter.

The last convention of the fraternity was the first held for several years. The constitution was revised and a policy of expansion decided upon. The fraternity will publish three times a year a booklet known as The Epilog. This will be the official organ of the fraternity. According to all reports, the condition of college journalism was never so prosperous as it is today, and the time is ripe for a great expansion of Pi Delta Epsilon. At the close of the recent convention, President Warren G. Harding was elected an honorary member of the fraternity, and it is expected that he will accept.

The April issue of "Lit", which ordinarily goes to press the latter part of March, has been held up by a strike of the printers of L. C. Childs and Co. of Utica. Until the affair is settled the work will be done by whatever printers the company will be able to secure. The April issue of "Lit" will probably be in circulation the latter part of this month.

Time trials were given the members of the track squad Saturday afternoon.

SCHEDULES GAIN COUNCIL'S APPROVAL

Executive Council Approves Tennis and Track Schedules—Apportionments Increased.

LETTERS AWARDED

The second meeting of the Executive Council for this year was held in Silliman Hall, March 21, and a number of important matters were discussed, including increases in apportionments, approval of proposed schedules, and a discussion of the policy to be adopted concerning the College store. All the members of the Council were present.

Peck, manager of basketball, asked for an increase in his gross apportionment, and a motion was carried to add $67 to his gross and $20 to his net apportionment. Manager Keane of track presented his budget with a gross of $1302.50 and a net of $1092.50. This was approved, as was also the proposed track schedule. Assistant manager Cannon read a report of last year's cross-country team, and brought up the proposed schedule of five meets and the apportionment for next fall. He asked for $255 net loss and $365 gross, which was approved.

Manager Mulford of Intramural presented a tennis schedule of eight games for the coming year including matches with Williams, Union, R. P. I., Syracuse, and Colgate. The schedule was approved. Manager of Football, Getman, presented his budget for the season of 1921 with a gross of $3169.22 and a net of $1469.22, which was approved.

Manager Seaver of The Charlatans brought up the question of two more performances, one in Syracuse on April 23, and one in Utica on May 6. This plan met with approval.

The Council also awarded the H's to the members of the hockey and basketball teams.

The following is the track schedule as approved:

May 7—Rochester at Rochester.
May 14—Hobart at Clinton.
May 21—R. P. I. at Troy.
May 28—Union at Clinton.

The tennis schedule is as follows:

May 4—Colgate at Clinton.
May 6—Williams at Williamstown.
May 7—Union at Schenectady.
May 16—Syracuse at Clinton.
May 18—Colgate at Hamilton.
May 25—Syracuse at Syracuse.
May 30—Union at Clinton.
June 4—R. P. I. at Clinton.

—Every loyal alumnus should subscribe for **Hamilton Life.**

CAMPUS CAMPAIGN BRINGS $40,551

Ninety-six Per Cent of the Undergraduates Contribute—Hamilton Has Chance to Break College Drive Record.

QUOTA OVERSUBSCRIBED

A total of $40,551 has been raised toward the endowment fund as a result of the campus campaign. The quota set for the undergraduates in this drive was $40,000. Of this amount $37,551 had been raised by Sunday afternoon when the Campus Campaign Committee met and decided to form a Continuation Committee, to have charge of carrying the campaign to those men who are at present out of college either through sickness or for other reasons.

This committee was organized and agreed to assume the responsibility of raising $3,000 during the next five years from the incoming classes. This action brought the grand total on the campus to $40,551. Kenneth B. Turner, '22, was elected chairman of the committee, and Watson M. Thompson, '23, was elected secretary. The body of the committee is to be composed of two members from each class.

There are some fifteen men on the college register who have, for one reason or another, not been approached in reference to subscribing toward the campaign. Subscriptions from these men will go to the credit of the Continuation Committee and will not be added to the credit of the groups in college whose returns are now complete.

The highest record made by any college in a campaign drive shows that ninety-seven per cent of the undergraduates have subscribed. If only one-half of the men on the college register who have not yet been approached for subscriptions will subscribe, Hamilton will break the college record and go over the ninety-seven per cent mark.

The announcement made as to the result of the campaign on the campus showed that the average contribution was more than $132 per man, which was the average hoped for by the campaign managers. The Campus Campaign is now completed. Its success ought to help the campaigns to be conducted in other sections of the country.

The group totals are as follows: Sigma Phi, $2757; Alpha Delta Phi, $4598; Psi Upsilon, $4420; Chi Psi, $4075; Delta Upsilon, $3549; Delta Kappa Epsilon, $3068; Theta Delta Chi, $1768; Emerson Literary Society, $3575; Beta Kappa, $3798; Neutrals, $5963; Continuation Committee, $3000.

Gordon H. Gould, '23, was elected stage manager of The Charlatans to succeed Keane, '22, at a meeting of the executive committee of the club held Saturday morning. J. Clark Breen, '24, was chosen to act as assistant stage manager and electrician. A list of men to be awarded "keys" was approved by the committee and will be passed upon by the club at its next meeting.

MUSICAL CLUBS SCORE SUCCESS

Easter Trip in the Vicinity of New York City Proves Preeminently Successful — Alumni Cooperate Enthusiastically.

SIX CONCERTS GIVEN

The annual spring tour of the Hamilton College Musical Clubs during the spring recess was one of the most successful ever experienced by the Clubs. At every performance large crowds greeted them and enthusiastically applauded the various numbers on the program. The vaudeville numbers and solos supplied the variety necessary to round out a well balanced program.

The Clubs opened their tour in New Rochelle on Monday evening, March 28, under the auspices of the Junior Class of the high school. The concert was held in the high school auditorium. On the following evening the Clubs played in Tarrytown, in the Y. M. C. A. Wyman Cobb, '20, made the local arrangements for this concert, which was held for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A.

On Wednesday night the performance was held in Jamaica in the Parish house of the Grace Church under the auspices of the Men's Club. The Clubs went to Elizabeth, N. J., for their performance on the following night. The concert was given in the high school for the benefit of the track and baseball teams of the school. Local arrangements were made by Harmon B. Kneeland, '20, last year's manager of the Hamilton Clubs. Friday night the Clubs played in Jersey City at the Bergen Reformed Church under the auspices of the Duryea Club. The Bergen Reformed Church is the church of Dr. Willard P. Soper, '04.

The most noteworthy and inspiring concert of the entire trip was the performance at the Plaza Hotel in New York on Saturday night. This concert was probably the biggest concert ever held by Hamilton College in New York City, and was loyally supported by the New York alumni. The success of this concert is due largely to the work of Norman J. Marsh, Jr., '14. Markel's orchestra played for the dancing after the concert.

The men who made the Easter trip were: Fisk, Wettel, Parker, Lighthall, Keehn, Pritchett, Paton, Daniels, Moffat, Harper, Davison, Forshay, Pendleton, Maier, Whitbeck, Griffith, Macey, Turner, Hallock, Burns, Miller, Ramsburg, Langtry, Palmer, North, J. W. Daniels, Fitch, Bates, Riedel, Moore, Vines, Kittell.

The program as presented on the trip is as follows:

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Donaldson, Young, Lewis.
Instrumental Club.
The Great American Drama.
Messrs. Griffith and Paton.
The Mulligan Musketeers, Atkinson.
Glee Club.

Part Two

Violin Solo, Kreisler.
Mr. W. H. Parker.
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Caresses, Monaco.
Instrumental Club.
Petite Vaudeville.
Messrs. Paton and Pritchett.
A Man and a Maid, Charles P. Scott.
Glee Club.
Glee Quartette.
Messrs. Paton, Daniels, Pendleton, Burns.
Carissima.

LIFE BOARD ELECTIONS

At a meeting of the **Life** Board on March 22, Kenneth B. Turner, '22, was elected editor-in-chief to succeed Raymond Gapp, '21, LeRoy B. Sherman, Jr., '22, assumed the position of business manager to succeed Angell Mathewson, and Burton S. Price, '23, was elected assistant business manager.

Walter C. Stone, '22, will act as alumni editor for the coming year. The competition for positions as reporters will be under the direction of the editor-in-chief, acting in conjunction with a deliberative board composed of Walter C. Stone, Robert Mason, and Charles T. Keane.

At a meeting held after chapel last Wednesday the following men were elected to the Board as a result of the recent competition: P. N. McGiffin, '23, W. B. Baer, '24, G. K. Flagg, '24, D. Jones, '24, and A. R. Webb, '24. A new competition has already been started among the present Freshmen. This competition will run until next December.

FELLOWSHIPS EXCHANGED

Twenty-three Belgian fellows have been enrolled in eleven American universities and twenty-two American fellows in four Belgian universities during the current academic year. These exchange fellowships were established in the spring of 1920 under the joint auspices of the Commission for Relief in Belgium Educational Foundation, Inc., in America and the Fondation Universitaire in Belgium. Their object is the exchange of intellectual ideas and the promotion of closer relations between Belgium and America.

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F. Winfield Smith, '22, was elected editor of The Hamilton Literary Magazine at a recent meeting of the Lit Board. He will succeed Joseph B. Rodgers, '21. Adelbert K. Edie, '22, was advanced to the position of business manager, to succeed Henry F. Coupe, Jr., and John K. Willard, '23, was elected assistant business manager.

Smith has shown great ability as a writer, and has since Freshman year been a consistent and valuable contributor to the pages of Lit. Because of his marked literary genius Smith's election was a matter of unhesitating prediction, and **Life** takes pleasure in congratulating him upon his accession to office.

SPORT BRIEFS

Spring football practice started last Thursday afternoon in earnest. Only the elementary things will be taken up this spring such as handling the ball, kicking, and passing. Captain Fowler is going to give the squad as much training as possible. He will give the team a little work on the bucking machine, but does not expect to take up tackling or any of the heavier work.

The candidates for track have been receiving some hard work-outs since vacation. The good weather has aided the coaches a great deal. The team appears to be unusually strong in the distances, as many new men are showing up well in these events.

The baseball outlook for this year is very bright. Outdoor practice has begun, and the team is working into shape for the first game, which is to be played with Colgate on April 27th. "Billy" King, one of last year's baseball veterans, is now on the track squad.

The tennis courts have been put into shape, the back-stops have meen repaired, and everything is now ready for the approaching season. There is some very good material from which to pick a team this year. A schedule of eight matches has been arranged by Manager Mulford. The first match is with Colgate on May 4. It will be played at Clinton.

—Nicoll Halsey, '67, died in Florida on April 2. He practiced law at Ithaca, N. Y., for a number of years, and was a member of Alpha Delta Phi and Phi Beta Kappa fraternities.

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A Three-Fold Policy

It is very easy, upon the advent of a new **Life** Board, to set forth a long list of principles for the publication to follow during the coming year, to commend the work of the outgoing board, to make promises, and, in short, to outline the policy of **Life.** The new editor spends an agreeable half hour facing his typewriter and the deed is done. Several paragraphs of abstract matter await the perusal of the subscribers.

We also have a policy to announce. It shall be the endeavor of **Life** this year to present in its pages material that is **news.** This is rather easy in the case of the alumni, who depend for the most part upon **Life** as a means of keeping in touch with the affairs on the campus. It is difficult in the case of the undergraduates, who are intimately in touch with the daily happenings on the Hill. To meet the demands of these two classes of readers shall be the first point in our policy.

There are two more points. They are briefly stated: First, the accounts appearing on these pages shall be accurate, and, second, they shall be written in an interesting manner.

Furthermore, it is our belief that material of more than local interest should find its place in the columns of **Life.** We refer to events that deal with college life in general, to important decisions in the world of sport, to intercollegiate items.

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A Larger Life

The criticism has been raised that there is too much advertising in **Life** for the size of the paper. News, it is claimed, is often excluded to make room for more advertising. We are firmly convinced that the time has come for a larger **Life.** Accordingly the present board hopes, and expects, that beginning in September a five-column paper will replace the issue of the present size. This will mean not only the addition of an extra column on each page but also an increase in the length of the sheet from top to bottom of about two inches.

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An "H" Club

We firmly believe that a college newspaper should be active in its attitude toward the affairs of the campus. **Life** proposes to live up to this conviction by pointing out from time to time conditions on the Hill that demand betterment, by advocating reforms, by suggesting innovations.

One of the primary needs of Hamilton today is some organization that would act in a manner similar to the so-called "letter" societies of several of the colleges and universities of the country. In short, we advocate the formation of an "H" Club.

The need and desirability of forming some such society has already been discussed by the Captains' Club. This last-named organization would form an excellent nucleus from which to build the new club.

However, it would be foolish to effect this organization for no more serious purpose than the scheduling of a banquet or dinner each year. With that result the new society could be accredited to an already felt tendency toward over-organization.

There are several obvious means whereby the "H" Club would not only justify its existence, but would become a factor in the advancement of athletics at Hamilton. Primary among these would be the attraction of a better class of athletic material to the College. The "H" Club would also institute a much-needed reform in the manner of wearing the "H" and class numerals. In some colleges similar organizations are given full control of granting letters. The relations of Hamilton with its athletic rivals, the sentiment of the undergraduates in regard to the letter, competition for teams, cooperation with coaches and graduate managers, in these fields and in many others would the "H" Club find place for its activities.

The time is ripe for the formation of this organization. Let's act!

CHEMISTRY CLUB TO MEET

A meeting of the Chemistry Club will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Dr. Saunders. The "Chemistry of Photography" will be discussed. Marlow will read a paper on the "History of Photography"; Robert Turner will discuss the "Chemistry of the Photography of Today"; Hawkins will discuss the "Chemistry of the Movies"; and Campbell, '21, will give a paper on "Color Photography".

HAMILTON DEBATERS VICTORIOUS OVER UNION

Decision of Judges Unanimous in Favoring the Negative—Quartet Gives Selections.

The Hamilton debate team defeated the Union trio by a unanimous vote in the Utica Free Academy Auditorium last Friday evening. The question, "Resolved that the use of the injunction in labor disputes should be abolished," was selected for the Hamilton–Union–Lafayette triangle debate. The schedule, begun March 18 when Union defeated Lafayette at Schenectady, and Lafayette won from Hamilton at Easton, Pa., was brought to a conclusion by the contest Friday evening. The negative team of each college has won two victories, while each affirmative has lost twice.

Before the debate and after the first round of speeches, the Quartet, composed of Paton, Daniels, Pendleton, and Burns, rendered several selections which were enthusiastically received by the audience.

Prof. Grossmeyer, of the U. F. A. faculty, presided as chairman. The judges were Supt. DeCamp, Rev. Albert E. Legg, and Attorney Dwight E. Pitcher, all of Utica.

Union's team, upholding the affirmative was composed of Edward B. Horning, '22, Edgar W. Snell, '21, leader, and Timothy F. Cohan, '22, with Ralph A. Peters, '21, as alternate. Franklin C. Fry, '21, Joseph B. Rodgers, '21, and Dean Alfange, '22, with Theodoric H. Westbrook, alternate, comprised the Hamilton team.

There will be a meeting of the **Life** Board in the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening, April 13, at eight o'clock.

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"KICK-OFF" DINNER HELD IN COMMONS

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A "kick-off" dinner for the Campus Campaign was held in Commons Hall on Thursday evening, April 7. During a brief meeting of the Undergraduate Association Karl Stern, '22, next year's captain of basketball, was awarded an "H" in basketball by special vote of the Executive Council and of the undergraduate body. Dr. Wood then gave out basketball "H's" to the following men: Cowan, Campbell, Keehn, Lawler, Doane, and Garner. Hockey "H's" were awarded to Kaiser, R. J. Reeder, R. G. Reeder, Clark, Thompson, and Marlow.

Dr. Wood turned the meeting over to Arthur Campbell, chairman of the student committee for the campaign, who read a telegram from President Ferry wishing the campaign the greatest success.

Speeches were given by Dean Saunders, Dr. Fitch, Mr. Sarcka, the campaign manager, VanKennen, '21, Keehn, '21, and Harper, '21. Pictures, showing models of the new gymnasium, as proposed, and the new athletic building, were flashed upon the screen.

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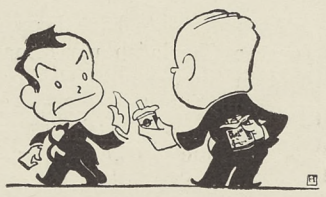

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IN OTHER words, tight.
* * *
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* * *
OF CIGARETTES.
* * *
ONE FOR friend Henry.
* * *
FULL OF "Satisfys."
* * *
AND THE other containing.
* * *
JUST ONE cigarette.
* * *
AND THAT lone cigarette.
* * *
WAS ALWAYS offered.
* * *
TO SMOKELESS friends.
* * *
WHO WERE all polite.
* * *
AND REFUSED to take it.
* * *
AND SOMEHOW Henry.
* * *
WAS NOT popular.
* * *
TILL ONE day by mistake.
* * *
HE PULLED the full pack.
* * *
AND EVERYONE fell on it.
* * *
WITH LOUD cries of glee.
* * *
HIS STRONG constitution.
* * *
CARRIED HENRY through.
* * *
AND DAY by day.
* * *
HE GREW more popular.
* * *
AND HENRY knew why.
* * *
FOR HE'S nobody's dummy.
* * *
AND NOWADAYS he not only.
* * *
CARRIES THE cigarettes.
* * *
THAT SATISFY.
* * *
BUT FORCES 'em on people.
* * *
GIVES AWAY packs of 'em.
* * *
AND, SHUCKS.
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HENRY COULD run for Mayor.
* * *
AND GET away with it now.
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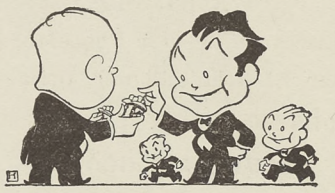

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Carpe Diem

"The old order changeth." Empires totter, the camel is no longer a mere animal, Coughlin's minions have finally shoveled off the campus, and there is a new **Life** board. With this new board comes the return of Carpe Diem to our happy midst. Carpe was born two years ago and flourished for a while. Then he took a long vacation, and today marks his reappearance.

The Musical Clubs are back from their hard week, and "O, yes, such a perfectly wonderful time." Those Hamilton boys are so nice and such terrible snakes. The only drawback seems to have been a slight scarcity of IT—but the Clubs were virtuous this year anyhow—even Ramsburg is becoming reformed. One catastrophe—Bill Wettel is reported to have fallen heavily for a young woman of Polish extraction in Elizabeth. The poet was right. Also the Dekes say "Shim" Moffat saw enough red heads for once.

Carpe Diem finds more "clubs" than ever on his return—and every one of them with a key, charm, etc., to dangle from the wearer's manly bosom. "Hang-downs" seem to be the ne plus ultra at the present time. Looks as if in a couple more years it will be more of an honor not to have a key than to have one—but how will any defenceless undergraduate dodge at least a couple?

In keeping with the above we take somewhat dubious pleasure today in announcing the establishment at Hamilton of the Tea chapter of Ima Nawful Snake. The badge of this fraternity is a brilliantine bottle, crossed by a comb and a hair net. The newly elected officers of the chapter are: Chief Slimy Snake, Weller; Assistant Wanta Snake, Keane; Incensed Keeper of the Fraternal Pash Powder, Lanrowitz; Exalted Protector of the Snakish Wardrobe, Chadeayne; Self Admitted Terrible Snake, Macey; Greasy Smearer of the Hair Oil, Bill Grassman. Goat will be held every Saturday night hereafter, according to C. S. S. Weller, in the cellar of the Belvedere Restaurant in Utica. The new crowd has already pledged several men, but it has also been obliged to reject a few because of doubted ability to snake properly. Among the latter class are Kelly and Rog Williams.

Social News

Moike Crane has returned to college.

Mrs. Mary King opened her Commons for a weak tea Sunday evening, and a wonderful time was enjoyed as the food was almost edible. The boys must have some place to go for these social purposes and they appreciate paying $6.50 for this—especially when the Commons brand of delectable dainties is put before them to marvel at.

Mr. J. Michael Brown, having acquired somebody's old golf socks is pleased to announce that he has finally acquired "that Sig look".

CHARLATANS TO PLAY IN SYRACUSE AND UTICA

Arrangements have been completed for the Charlatan performance to be held in Syracuse on Friday and Saturday nights, April 22 and 23, at the Drama League's Little Theatre. The program will be given under the auspices of the Wellesley College Club of Syracuse. "The Last Man In", "The Boy Comes Home", and another play not as yet decided upon will be presented at these performances.

On Friday night, May 6, the Charlatans will present "The Last Man In" and "The Boy Comes Home" at the New Century Auditorium in Utica. This performance will likewise be under the auspices of the Wellesley College Club. Manager Seaver has promised the club that he will dispose of one hundred and twenty-five tickets, and accordingly all the students on the Hill are urged to attend. These tickets will soon be placed on sale. Pritchett's orchestra has been engaged to play for the dance after the performance.

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Campus Notes

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Dr. P. S. Flippin, former head of the Department of History at Hamilton, now professor of history at Mercer University, has recently been appointed managing editor of the Georgia Historical Quarterly.

All the proof for the 1922 Hamiltonian has been corrected and returned to the printer, according to K. B. Turner, '22, editor of the yearbook. The editor stated that the new book should be on the Hill in time for the Spring House Parties.

A meeting of the Biology Club was held on Thursday evening at Dr. Morrill's home. K. B. Turner, '22, gave a paper on the "Thyroid Gland"; Bristol, '23, discussed "Nutrition"; and Jennings, '21, gave a talk on "Vitamines". The next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 21.

"Hamilton College is part of Kirkland Township" is the slogan taken by the local committee for the endowment drive. The actual drive has not yet started in this district, but it is expected to get into full swing this week. Joseph B. Rudd is chairman, with H. E. Allen as vice-chairman of the Kirkland Township Campaign. The committees are headed as follows: Reverend E. L. Shepard, chairman of the Publicity Committee; W. H. Brockway, chairman of the Lists and Ratings Committee; E. F. Torrey, chairman of the Preliminary Gifts Committee, and Robert U. Hayes, secretary and treasurer of the campaign.

Dr. Ferry, who has been absent from the Hill on extended engagements during the past few weeks, attended the dinner of the Brooklyn Alumni Association at Brooklyn on March 26. On April 3, he addressed the students of Middlebury College, Vt., at the chapel service, and also spoke at a community meeting in the village of Middlebury. On the morning of April 7, he spoke before the Jefferson County Teachers' Association in Watertown, N. Y. Dr. Ferry was in New York on April 6 and 8, in connection with the college endowment campaign.

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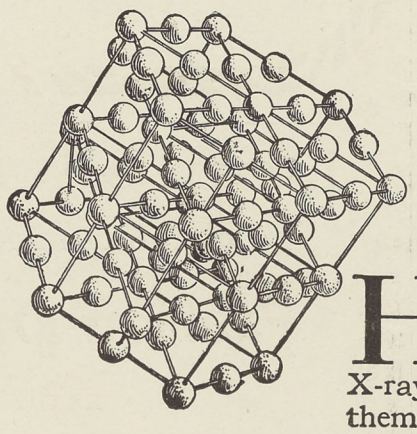

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